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## Says WILL ROGERS



LAKE TAHOE Cal.—Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, and what comes along where I happen to be messing around. I don't care where, or how much you have traveled, if you want to hit a unique neck of the woods go up around Lake Tahoe, and over into Nevada, Reno, Carson City, Virginia City, all those Hot Springs up around there, then that Lake Tahoe 6200 hundred foot high, 26 miles long and 12 wide.

It's not only the unique country, its the people too that you run onto up there. Lots of Frisco people have their summer homes up there, the Fishackers have a great place, and he goes back to his business and rounds up a new gang of guests and brings em up for every week end.

Then down the Lake further on Emerald Bay Mrs. Knight has I'll bet the most unique House in America, a Swedish House. Now we never thought about the Swedes having houses. We just kinder pictured em being born, and then leaving the next day for Minnesota, and then live in American made homes. But say on their native heath those Johnsons know how to live. This house of hers is absolutely authentic, and its the most livable thing I ever saw, all heavy substantial stuff.

Then another great one is Anita Baldwin summer place just off the big Lake on Fallen Leaf Lake. Its log, the biggest ones ever saw. The living room with the highest ceiling, and everything in it is Indian, and I mean authentic Indian, as she has one of the greatest Indian collections in America. There is not one thing you see or touch when you get in that house that is not Indian, or Indian design. Dishes, Knives, Forks, all the cushions of the chairs and settees are cowskin covered, sofa pillows are woven cow hawks.

I was admiring some of her Indian baskets, and happened to say that I wanted to get hold of some, and she said "Over in Carson City there is some very nice ones, they were made by a very famous Washoe Indian woman now dead, but they are rather dear, they run about ten thousand each." When I regained part consciousness, I thanked her for the information and asked if she thought I could get a slight reduction if I sent over and got say a dozen or so. I would give ten thousand dollars for the basket they had Moco stored away in the back of the house.

But we must get away from homes and get to the real interest up around Nevada, and that's the "Divorcees." All of em don't live in Reno. They live over on, or near the California line, they have to serve three months, if they leave the State during that time and stay a week in Carson City there is some very nice ones, they were made by a very famous Washoe Indian woman now dead, but they are rather dear, they run about ten thousand each. When I regained part consciousness, I thanked her for the information and asked if she thought I could get a slight reduction if I sent over and got say a dozen or so. I would give ten thousand dollars for the basket they had Moco stored away in the back of the house.

Me and my destitute friend Arthur Brisbane can't seem to get together on Russia.

There is a thousand things I talk about that I don't know any more about than a Senator, but I did take an airplane three years ago and flew from London to Moscow and Lenin. I stayed there a couple of weeks, went with no delegation, and wasn't personally conducted, saw everything, didn't even belong to Hoover Committee, and I don't know any more now about Russia than Brisbane does.

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## LUMBERMEN PLAY AT GRAYLING

FORGET BUSINESS AND ENJOY SOCIAL TIME

Members of the Michigan Retail Lumbermen's association and their wives enjoyed a two-day outing here as guests of the Grayling Box Co. and T. W. Hanson, a former member of the association but now retired.

The visitors began arriving Saturday morning and at intervals until evening others appeared. The early arrivals were busy calling on old friends and acquaintances, some played golf and others went sightseeing.

200 At Banquet  
About two hundred members and guests sat down to a very enjoyable banquet at Michelson Memorial church banquet room Saturday evening where they were served a "Lumber-Jack" feed. The banquet was prepared and served by Paul and Pete Lovely, old-time lumber camp cooks.

They were assisted by members of the lovely family. Music was furnished throughout the banquet by Emerson Brown and some of our local musicians.

T. P. Peterson, manager of the Grayling Box Co., made a few remarks of welcome and stated that "we appreciate your coming, and we are going to try, in our humble way, to entertain you while you are here." He introduced T. W. Hanson as the toastmaster of the evening.

Tells Of Grayling's Lumber Days  
Mr. Hanson began his remarks by saying that "This is a happy occasion." He explained that it was thirty years ago that the retail lumbermen of Michigan trekked to Grayling for a similar affair, and that from among those present at that meeting he noticed only one person tonight.

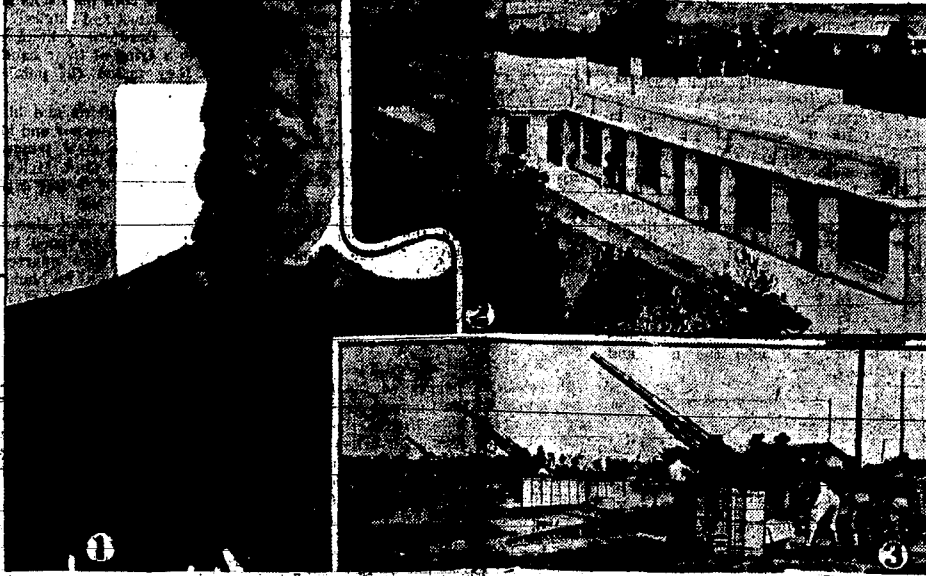
In addressing the members of the association Mr. Hanson said "You had a lot to do with the building of Grayling, and it is today. We, as manufacturers of lumber, had to depend upon the retail merchants for our business." He paid tribute to some of those old time customers, many of whom began business in a small way and that through their early experience they had never had occasion to lose faith in the fidelity and stability of the dealers.

For fifty years Grayling was a producer of lumber—Shoppengons of White-Cork pine, Norway, hemlock, hardwood. In just a half century this vast crop was removed by the lumbermen. The reason for this rapid harvest of timber was due to several causes principal of which was the attractive low price required by the government, \$1.25 per acre for timber land, and the easy accessibility to streams in which logs were delivered to the sawmills. Thus vast forests were soon diminished.

The lumbermen were suddenly confronted with the fact that they were approaching the end. Had the government stepped in with strict regulations governing the harvesting of timber, and also instituted a program of reforestation, there still would have been plenty of timber in Michigan. Already reforestation has begun, the largest of which operations are being conducted near Iawass City where the U. S. government has a tract of about 600,000 acres and a vast reforestation program laid out.

Our officials have realized for some time that forest-fee preservation and reforestation will rebuild our forests. Mr. Hanson gave an interesting resume of his early experience in the lumbering camps, where he started his career as a lumberman after graduation from high school, and paid a fine tribute to the faithfulness of their old time employees.

Grayling had survived the fate of most lumbering towns and, due to its natural recreational resources, is more permanently situated than ever before. Here we have some of America's finest trout streams and many fine lakes and people from other



1—View of the Stromboli volcano, north of Sicily, which broke out in violent eruption. 2—Modern hospital for tuberculous patients just opened near Athens, the gift of American philanthropists to Greece. 3—Testing the new three-inch mobile anti-aircraft guns at the proving grounds of the United States army at Aberdeen, Md.

regions and other states have learned to love them and now there are hundreds of summer homes located along these attractive watering places where families reside during the summer months and many have taken up permanent residence here.

"Within a year," said Mr. Hanson, "after lumbering ceased in Grayling, the pendulum swung the other way and people here began to improve their property, new store fronts were put in, pavements were built and the city began to take on an air of permanency until now there is nothing to stop us. This condition was brought about by the efforts of about 75 faithful members of Grayling Board of Trade. Grayling has provided more for recreation and pleasure than any other community in the state."

Among the local places of interest told about by Mr. Hanson were the Hartwick pines, the Military reservation, State trout hatchery, etc. "All we ask in return," said the speaker, "is that they give us decent highways so that you people can come here in comfort and enjoy what nature has given us." He said he was sorry that some of our pioneer lumbermen could not be here at this time to enjoy this meeting with us. This would have been a wonderful occasion in the closing days of their lives.

He closed his address by thanking the visitors for coming here and hoped they would enjoy their visit. Norman C. Cove of Lansing, president of the lumbermen's association, responded saying that after hearing Mr. Hanson's address that he felt that the didn't belong here, and that the thought of the mammoth pine forests that once stood here gave him a feeling of awe. He said some nice things about the fine "lumber-jack" dinner they had just enjoyed and also knew that it would be the pleasure of everyone here to visit some of the old lumber scenes in this vicinity.

Charles Weeks of Detroit, who was in attendance at the similar meeting held here thirty years ago, said that he saw many changes in Grayling except that it still retained its old-time hospitality.

Dance At Officers' Club  
After the dinner the visitors repaired to the Officers' club house at the Hanson State Military reservation for a few hours of social mingling and dancing. This was the first time many of the visitors had ever visited the reservation and they were amazed at the magnitude and completeness of the place and quite surprised to find such a wonderful club house. This structure was a present to the officers of Michigan National Guard from the late Rasmus Hanson. The party remained until about midnight when they turned in for the night, many at Shoppengons Inn and some at the homes and cottages of friends.

Visit "Pines" and Summer Homes  
The following day (Sunday) the visitors were taken on a trip of sight-seeing when they visited the "Edward" and "Hartwick Memorial Pines Park," a few lakes and people from other

along the AuSable river. Among those visited were the John Rust home on the North branch of the AuSable; the Dunham home on the Main stream of the AuSable and the million dollar Cliff Durant home on the South branch of the AuSable river.

ELEVEN COTTAGERS FOUND GUILTY OF LAKE POLLUTION  
The first blow in a campaign recently inaugurated by the Pollution Division of the Department of Conservation against those polluting Michigan's inland lakes fell this week on eleven cottagers along Houghton lake.

Roy Walling, Houghton Lake, pleaded guilty to a charge of permitting a sanitary sewer to empty into the lake, was sentenced to pay a fine with costs of \$41.10 and in addition he was required to spend about \$400 to rectify his methods of disposing of his sewage.

Effner Parker, George Snapp, Chas. Evans, Norman Hart and Denver Sprague, other cottagers, have pleaded guilty to the same offense and are awaiting sentence. According to the Pollution Division, five more warrants have been sworn out and are now awaiting service.

Each of the five men awaiting sentence have been ordered by the Pollution Division to clean up their sewage systems within 30 days. If this is not done each day in which sewage is dumped into the lake after the specified time will be considered under the law as a separate offense.

The place at which the sewage was being dumped into the lake was only about 200 feet from a bathing beach. The arrests at Houghton Lake but mark the beginning of an extensive campaign that will be carried on throughout the state, in an attempt to keep these inland lakes free from pollution.

Inspectors from the Division are now investigating conditions along these lakes and in each instance in which cottagers are permitting their sewage to enter the water, or in which other forms of waste are permitted to pollute the waters, the offenders will be given a definite period in which to clean up. If the warnings are not heeded arrests will follow as they did at Houghton Lake.

Every year the inland lakes of this state are becoming of more economic importance, it was said. Large resorts are being built up, the lakes are becoming more popular for fishing and these things are of a great financial asset to the vicinity and to the state at large. Unless these waters are kept clean and free from pollution improvements cannot continue.

Y.M.C.A. CONFERENCE AT CHEBOYGAN OCT. 11-12  
The young men of the Northern Michigan Y.M.C.A. are holding a fall conference for the high schools of this District. This conference will be held in Cheboygan, October 11-12, opening with a banquet on Saturday evening. The Cheboygan Rotary Club, assisted by the Hi-Y Club will entertain the eighty guests who have been invited to represent the High Schools of the North.

Mr. A. E. Roberts of New York, National Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., will be the main speaker. Mr. Roberts has for many years been associated with John E. Mott and has played an important part in international relationships of the Y. He is one of America's best speakers and it is hoped that some men of the District will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear Mr. Roberts and acquaint themselves with what the young men of the Hi-Y Clubs are doing in their quest for a fuller and a richer way of life.

O. E. S. Rummage Sale  
O. E. S. will hold a Rummage Sale at the Health Center, on Saturday, Oct. 4 ONE DAY ONLY Nice winter coats and other articles for winter.

OLD LAKE ST. HELEN DAM TO BE REPLACED WITH NEW  
(Special To The Bay City Times.)  
St. Helen, Sept. 17.—The decision of the Roscommon county board of supervisors to rebuild the dam at the source of the AuSable river in Lake St. Helen revives many memories of the past. The old dam was constructed when lumbering in these sections was at its prime so that the level of the lake could be kept high at all times. After the days of lumbering had passed on, the dam rotted gradually away, with none to repair

During the last few years the level of the lake has fallen very low. Especially during the past dry season was the lake affected by the drought. To remedy this condition the supervisors of Roscommon county have decided that the dam must be rebuilt. The necessary legal proceedings will be completed at the coming term of court. It is expected the project will be begun this fall.

## MOVE BASKETBALL MEET TO LANSING

DETROIT SCHOOLS DROP OUT OF COMPETITION. BOARD DECIDES ON CHANGE

Schools of State Are Given Larger Share in Handling of Sport Affairs

Lansing, Sept. 23.—(UP)—The annual state basketball tournament, held in Detroit for the past several years, will be held in Lansing next spring, A. W. Thompson, director of the interscholastic athletics, announced today.

With Detroit out of state competition beginning this season, delegates at the representative council of the State High School Athletic association, which met here yesterday, thought it advisable to shift the tournament to a more central part of the state.

All high school gymnasiums in Lansing have been offered to play off the tournament in as well as the Boys' Vocational school and Michigan State college gymnasiums and Demonstration Hall at East Lansing will also be available.

Definite plans for the tourney have not been completed. There is a possibility that first and second rounds games may be played at different centers throughout the state, bringing in the semi-finals and finals of all four classes—A, B, C and D—here, but with the number of gyms available, the entire meet could be run off at Lansing.

The council also voted for other matters that further the policy of turning back more to the competing schools, such as increasing the number of men for which expenses are paid from nine to ten and allowing a defeated team 24 hours expenses after they have been eliminated.

PREDICTIONS

Just a year ago Roger Babson, great man of figures, gave dire warning that the country was heading straight for financial chaos unless the mad speculative wave abated quickly. Mr. Babson crystallized what was in the minds of a great many students of economic conditions. It was seen that stocks couldn't continue to rise far beyond the book value of assets they represented.

Momentarily the bears took over the market. But in a day or two Babson's prediction was forgotten. Business men dropped their balance sheets to pick up the ticker tape. Laborers had a monetary interest in the market. Then the crash came and everyone went back to work, at least those who could find profitable employment.

Now Mr. Babson comes forth with a new prediction. This time it is for better days. Quick readjustment of business conditions depends largely on how business meets the situation. Reduction of overhead, better measure to customers, discovering new uses for present products, spending more money for advertising—these are among the suggestions made.

Of the needs of the hour Mr. Babson said advertising is perhaps most important. The predictions that went unheeded last year are remembered now. That is why the new forecast commands attention.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends who gave their kindness, sympathy and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our beloved wife and sister.

Henry P. Baumgras, George A. Schaible and family.

## NEW STRUCTURE REPLACES WAKELEY BRIDGE

Supervisor Frank Barnett and the other members of the Township board of Grayling are feeling quite proud over the new bridge across the AuSable river, replacing the old Wakeley bridge. It was finished last Saturday and is now open for use. It was built at a cost of \$1,500.

The bridge is located nearly a quarter mile north of the Wakeley bridge and has a span of 117 feet and width of 22 feet. Those who have seen it claim that it is one of the finest bridges on the river and of far better structure than the ones crossing the river here in the village.

Work on the construction of the bridge was begun last April and was done by the Beach Manufacturing Co. of Charlotte, Mich. It's a fine job and fulfills a need that has been apparent for many years past.

Mr. Barnett says he hopes the people of town will drive down and see it; that the view from the bridge is beautiful. The other members of the Board were Andrew Brown, Thos. Cassidy and Carl Sorenson. Justice Philip G. Zalman too had a hand in the matter before his term on the board expired July 4th.

## Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, September 28, 1930  
11 A. M. "The things Jesus did NOT do."  
7:30 P. M. "Echoes from the Detroit Conference."

John 21: 21

Our Prayer: "O God, our Father, the longing of the Greeks is ours today, and the world cries out, 'We would see Jesus.'"  
"May we set our hearts anew upon a great spiritual quest in this new year. And may the spirit of truth lead us into the findings that shall mold us into the measure of the fullness of the stature of Christ. In His name we pray. Amen."

Mrs. Thomas A. Edison: "A good homemaker must have executive ability, be a good purchasing agent, an economist and somewhat of a chemist." Not a word about bridge.—Toledo Blade.

## RIALTO Theatre, Grayling

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 25-26

John McCormick

in "SONG OF MY HEART"

Saturday, Sept. 27th (only)

An All-Star Indian Cast

in "SILENT ENEMY"

Sunday and Monday, Sept. 28-29

Ruth Chatterton and Clive Brook

in "ANYBODY'S WOMAN"

Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 30-Oct. 1st

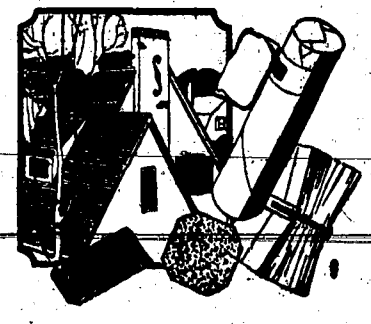
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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, September 26, 1907

William Hilyer of Vanderbilt spent Sunday with friends in Grayling.

Mrs. Louisa B. Niles went to Ann Arbor, Tuesday, where she expects to stay for the winter.

Geo. L. Alexander has put a new furnace under his office. He has no desire to freeze.

Jas. Ballard came up from Tawas Saturday, for a visit with the family and friends.

The past two weeks have been as disagreeable as a rare-bit dream. Wind and cold and rain, with but a little sunshine, following in quick succession.

Farmers tell us that the potato crop is doing nicely, generally speaking, while corn, which got so poor a start last spring is getting pretty well out of the way.

Willie Fisher has entered the M. A. C. He will take the mechanical course.

Benj. Jerome has returned to his chass at the M. A. C., after a pleasant vacation rest.

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## STATE TAX MEN AND BANKERS IN ACCORD

Months of Negotiation Lead to Agreement on Changes Broadening Method of State or Local Taxation of National Banks.

NEW YORK—Months of conference and negotiation between an American Bankers Association special committee and the Committee of the Association of States on Bank Taxation have resulted in an agreement on a form of amendment to the Federal statute dealing with state or local taxation of national banks that "maintains the integrity of the protective principles of the section and is satisfactory to the commissioners' committee," says the American Bankers Association Journal.

Thomas B. Patton, the organization's General Counsel, in making the announcement says that previously proposed amendments to the statute, which is known as Section 513, have been opposed because it was felt that terms would enable any state to place banks in a tax class by themselves.

"The law as it stands today," Mr. Patton says, "permits state or local taxation of national banks or their shareholders in one or the other of the four following forms: the shareholders upon their shares, a property tax, the shareholders upon their individual income, income tax, the bank according to or measured by its net income. Only one form of tax can be imposed, except that the dividend tax may be combined with the third or fourth form if other corporations and shareholders are likewise taxed."

"The conditions permitted are: the tax on shares must be at no greater rate than on other competing moneyed capital; the income tax on shareholders must be at no greater rate than on net income from other moneyed capital; the tax on bank net income must be at no higher rate than on other financial corporations nor the highest rates on mercantile and manufacturing corporations doing business within the state; the tax measured by net bank income is subject to the state which would use the net income of the bank but may include entire net income from all sources."

States seek broader law. National banks and their shareholders are taxed in different states under a diversity of systems, he says. The U. S. Supreme Court has held that the low millage rate on intangible personal property is in violation of the present law where it results in national bank shares being taxed at a rate greater than that assessed upon competing moneyed capital. Number of states, unable to use the existing methods permitted, had the alternative of either repealing the intangible tax law or limiting taxation of national bank shares at the intangible rate. Therefore they sought a broadening of the permissive provisions.

Also, Mr. Patton points out, a Supreme Court decision held a state's excise tax on corporations was unconstitutional where it included income from Federal and local government bonds in the excise measure. This created doubt as to some state bank excise taxes.

"Conferences have been held to reach some agreement which would protect the banks, satisfy the tax commissioners and avoid a contest in Congress," Mr. Patton says. "From the standpoint of the tax authorities, the main objectives have been an amended statute which would permit certain states to retain their low rate tax upon intangibles and at the same time derive an adequate, but not excessive, revenue from national bank shares, and an amendment which would permit certain states to tax corporations on their net income, excluding income from tax-exempt, and at the same time derive the same revenue from the banks as heretofore. From the standpoint of the banks, it has been deemed imperative to maintain the protective principles of Section 513."

The changes agreed on "in the proposed amendment the existing provision permitting taxation of bank shares no higher than the rate upon competing moneyed capital has been modified with respect to certain intangible tax states only by a provision under which, instead of the moneyed capital limitation, the rate shall not be greater than the rate upon the shares of other financial corporations, nor upon the net assets of individuals, partnerships or associations employed in the banking, loan or investment business, nor higher than the rate assessed upon mercantile, manufacturing and business corporations with head office in the state."

"Also an added fifth alternative permissive method, designated as a specific tax, permits a state, in place of an ad valorem tax on bank shares, to add together total dividends paid in preceding year and the bank's net capital, surplus and undivided profits, less additions to capital or surplus paid in by stockholders, and to divide this total by the number of shares. The state may tax the shares based upon this amount, but not to exceed the rate on other corporations in proportion to their net profits."

"This method is designed for states which have heretofore taxed national banks upon their entire net income from all sources at a proportionate rate to that assessed upon business corporations. The amount which is the basis of the tax is the equivalent of the entire net income from all sources, but being assessed against the shareholder upon his property in the shares and not a tax upon the bank, it is not open to the objection as an indirect tax on exempt income."

Mr. Patton says that the new law will be introduced in Congress next month. It is expected that it will pass without opposition.

George Seldes, able newspaper man, returns from Europe, predicting "Mussolini's fall from power with his Fascist government tumbling about his ears within a year."

Revolution will do the job, says Mr. Seldes, and Mussolini's enemies at home are preparing it. He thinks Mussolini might plunge Italy into war to avenge on revolution.

Other rulers have done that, and successfully.

France evidently is convinced that her first trouble will come from Italy, and seeks alternately to placate and terrify the implacable and forever untamed Mussolini.

Concerning that powerful leader, the marvel is that he has endured so long the terrific strain of gigantic responsibility.

And a greater marvel is that, with absolute power and so many attacks on his life, he has ruled so moderately.

Angels that watch us, and perhaps talk about us, must have been awed when they saw Henry Ford sleeping at Nancy, in a bed once occupied by the sultan of Morocco.

That bed could not well have held two individuals further apart than the sultan of Morocco and the sultan of Detroit.

But to the angels we may seem as much alike as ants seem to us.

Oakland, one of the most progressive cities in progressive California, establishes, thanks to the University of California, the country's first "adult educational center."

The adult, rather than the child, craves information, eagerly seeking to repair lack or neglect of opportunity in childhood.

No man should feel that he is "too old to learn." Desire to learn proves of itself that you still can learn.

On the opening day of the university for adults, students admitted included a banker, a day laborer, school teachers, two doctors, a dentist, a photographer, clerks, bookkeepers, insurance agents, a successful merchant and two truck drivers.

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## This Week

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Boy Ammel, a red-haired young man from North Dakota, who did some air fighting in the war, and enjoyed it, has invested his \$40,000, including his last dollar, in a fast Lockheed Explorer plane, and plans to fly by himself to Paris.

He calls the trip that he plans "Doing a Lindbergh," and hopes to cover the distance, 3,010 miles, in about twenty-five hours, beating Lindbergh by nearly eight hours.

If he does that, Lindbergh will be well pleased. The engine decides the speed, and Lindbergh, like everybody else, knows that the trip will be made eventually in ten hours and less.

George Seldes, able newspaper man, returns from Europe, predicting "Mussolini's fall from power with his Fascist government tumbling about his ears within a year."

Revolution will do the job, says Mr. Seldes, and Mussolini's enemies at home are preparing it. He thinks Mussolini might plunge Italy into war to avenge on revolution.

Other rulers have done that, and successfully.

France evidently is convinced that her first trouble will come from Italy, and seeks alternately to placate and terrify the implacable and forever untamed Mussolini.

Concerning that powerful leader, the marvel is that he has endured so long the terrific strain of gigantic responsibility.

And a greater marvel is that, with absolute power and so many attacks on his life, he has ruled so moderately.

Angels that watch us, and perhaps talk about us, must have been awed when they saw Henry Ford sleeping at Nancy, in a bed once occupied by the sultan of Morocco.

That bed could not well have held two individuals further apart than the sultan of Morocco and the sultan of Detroit.

But to the angels we may seem as much alike as ants seem to us.

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## STATE OF MICHIGAN OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

We hereby certify that the valuation of the several counties in the State of Michigan as equalized by the State Board of Equalization at its regular session in the year 1930, as provided by Act No. 44, of the Public Acts of 1911, as amended, is as follows:

COUNTIES	Valuation as equalized by Board of Supervisors, 1930.	Amount added by the State Board of Equalization in 1930.	Amount subtracted by the State Board of Equalization, 1930.	Aggregate of valuation as equalized by State Board of Equalization in 1930.	Percentage of State Tax.
Alcona	4,155,000	145,000		4,300,000	.00050905
Alcona	9,695,381		725,381	8,970,000	.00108190
Alcona	42,000,000	7,579,000		49,579,000	.00589322
Alcona	14,500,000	1,490,000		15,990,000	.00192225
Antrim	6,992,270		187,870	6,804,400	.00082977
Arenac	5,003,676	1,041,324		6,045,000	.00071583
Baraga	8,994,000		24,000	8,970,000	.00108190
Barry	22,846,210	5,721,790		28,568,000	.00338197
Bay	68,544,880	6,701,320		75,246,200	.00897844
Benzie	5,111,607		388,807	4,722,800	.00056564
Berrien	34,344,000	10,966,000		45,310,000	.01246578
Branch	24,528,035	11,548,965		36,077,000	.00427088
Calhoun	112,356,939	26,581,070		138,938,000	.01644788
Cass	24,184,485	5,436,515		29,621,000	.00356683
Charlevoix	10,144,775	188,225		10,333,000	.00122226
Cheboygan	8,190,000	98,000		8,288,000	.00098116
Chippewa	25,234,470	2,894,530		28,129,000	.00333000
Clare	5,900,643	729,357		6,630,000	.00078488
Clinton	27,141,430	8,016,570		35,158,000	.00424179
Crawford	3,212,871		92,571	3,120,300	.00036936
Dela	18,458,172	4,356,828		22,815,000	.00270091
Dickinson	25,085,017	752,983		25,838,000	.00309824
Eaton	34,000,000	12,958,000		46,958,000	.00563811
Emmet	14,476,123		338,123	14,138,000	.00171770
Genesee	268,635,229	66,969,771		335,605,000	.03973238
Hawkins	5,271,169	576,831		5,848,000	.00069377
Gogebic	58,455,895	4,419,305		62,875,000	.00744336
Grand Traverse	16,422,173		724,173	15,698,000	.00185838
Grafton	30,000,000	17,288,000		47,288,000	.00565911
Hillsdale	29,896,217	12,138,783		41,735,000	.00494043
Houghton	45,044,980		154,980	44,890,000	.00530949
Huron	32,559,555	7,940,145		40,500,000	.00485422
Ingham	202,015,187	5,414,313		207,429,500	.02470066
Ionia	34,462,746	7,950,254		42,413,000	.00502099
Iosco	6,920,657	1,025,343		7,946,000	.00094987
Iron	36,687,147	2,117,853		38,805,000	.00459286
Isabella	21,474,350	6,313,650		27,788,000	.00328963
Jackson	145,000,000		212,000	144,788,000	.01717700
Kalamazoo	126,932,251	17,397,649		144,330,000	.01708270
Kalkaska	3,944,285		344,285	3,600,000	.00031964
Kent	350,466,042	29,783,958		380,250,000	.04501523
Keeweenaw	12,549,126	320,874		12,870,000	.00152359
Lake	2,866,789		770,789	2,096,000	.00024813
Lapeer	25,000,000	8,053,000		33,053,000	.00395922
Leelanau	5,575,000,000	6,825,000		5,581,825,000	.00068777
Lenawee	79,123,298	144,702		79,268,000	.00938400
Livingston	30,000,000	4,418,000		34,418,000	.00407451
Luce	7,000,000		378,730	6,621,270	.00082868
Macinac	7,788,730			7,788,730	.00087722
Macomb	126,095,982	2,604,018		128,700,000	.01523522
Manistee	16,383,958		293,935	16,090,000	.00192225
Marquette	58,230,000	4,170,000		62,400,000	.00738711
Mason	16,310,000	363,000		16,673,000	.00197380
Mecosta	12,998,100	164,900		13,163,000	.00155828
Menominee	22,578,857	139,143		22,718,000	.00269943
Midland	19,114,253	873,744		19,988,000	.00236224
Muskegon	3,306,500	3,500		3,310,000	.00039172
Monroe	91,725,973		1,053,973	90,672,000	.01073440
Montcalm	27,000,000	2,445,000		29,445,000	.00348580
Montmorency	2,744,000		111,000	2,633,000	.00031170
Muskegon	100,000,000	1,037,000		98,963,000	.01171566
Newaygo	16,502,105		612,105	15,890,000	.00189955
Oshtemo	361,424,224	104,549,979		465,974,203	.05713472
Oscoda	12,900,678	292,384		13,193,000	.00155828
Ogemaw	4,400,000	768,000		5,168,000	.00611180
Ontonagon	8,340,000	2,578,000		10,918,000	.00129251
Oscoda	9,000,000	848,000		9,848,000	.00116584
Oscoda	1,900,000		47,000	1,853,000	.00021968
Osteo	5,670,000	10,000		5,680,000	.00067000
Ottawa	59,858,216	7,358,784		67,217,000	.00796423
Presque Isle	8,939,720		846,720	8,093,000	.00095808
Roscommon	3,197,488		1,052,488	2,145,000	.00025933
Saginaw	159,000,000	900,000		159,900,000	.01892448
Sanilac	28,602,210	9,422,750		38,025,000	.00450152
Schoolcraft	8,000,113	10,587		8,010,700	.00096700
Shiawassee	89,276,000	10,466,000		99,742,000	.00886161
St. Clair	102,000,000	4,665,000		106,665,000	.01262735
St. Joseph	36,453,695	4,984,305		41,438,000	.00490555
Tuscola	31,031,400	5,968,600		37,000,000	.00438010
Van Buren	35,999,999	729,000		36,729,000	.00424179
Washtenaw	117,186,630	25,183,370		142,370,000	.01785139
Wayne	4,030,215,146	155,379,846		4,185,595,000	.49583963
Wexford	13,000,000	1,138,000		14,138,000	.00167370
Totals	\$7,804,313,652	\$652,088,058	\$9,260,710	\$8,447,141,000	



## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

### Phillip La Follette Defeats Governor Kohler in the Wisconsin Primaries.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

WHAT'S in a name? A great deal, up in Wisconsin. If the name happens to be La Follette, Phillip F., second son of the founder of the dynasty and brother of Robert who holds the senatorial seat the father held for years, decided he wanted to be governor of the Badger state, so the Republicans in their primary refused to renominate Walter J. Kohler and gave the nomination to young Phillip by a majority of about 110,000. Mr. Kohler has been admitted an excellent chief executive and as a large employer of labor he is notably philanthropic; but he is a moderate conservative, is quite wealthy, and his name is not La Follette.

Politicians in Wisconsin held that, besides the great drawing power of the family name, a big factor in the La Follette landslide was the drive made for the factory vote for Phillip and his campaigner laid particular stress on unemployment, bringing in the economic situation in the country generally. In his factories at the town that bears his name Mr. Kohler has kept his full forces at work on full time throughout the period of depression, but Phillip made capital out of the fact that Kohler in 1928 campaigned on the Hoover and prosperity levante. The young man seems to have inherited much of his father's ability as a political orator and the labor vote went to him in imposing numbers. He carried 63 of the 71 counties, and the La Follette group dominated congressional candidates in nine of the eleven districts, gaining one seat.

La Follette is opposed by Charles E. Hammesley, Democratic nominee, but in Wisconsin Republican nomination is considered equivalent to election.

RESULTS of primaries and conventions in other states were evidently influenced by the unfavorable economic and employment conditions, the new tariff law and dissatisfaction of the farmers with the doings of the federal farm board. As for the prohibition question, the dries had some chances to cheer, though leaders of the wets thought Tuesday was "really a very damp day." In Massachusetts William M. Butler, drier, obtained the Republican senatorial nomination, defeating Elen S. Draper, a wet; and the Democrats put up Marcus A. Coolidge, wet, for the senate. Delaware Democrats nominated Thomas F. Bayard, wet, to oppose Senator Daniel O. Hastings, renominated by the Republicans. The Republicans of Connecticut chose Lieut. Gov. E. E. Rogers, a drier, as their candidate for governor and adopted a platform calling for restoration of liquor control to the states. In November Mr. Rogers will be opposed by Dr. Wilbur L. Cross, the wet Democratic nominee.

Wets in the Republican party in New York didn't do so well as they had expected in the congressional primaries, but they did score some notable victories, and it was certain there would be a hot fight over the liquor question in the impending state convention. United States Attorney Charles H. Tuttle, leading possibility for the gubernatorial nomination, created something of a sensation by resigning his office and declaring himself in favor of repeal of the Prohibition amendment. Prohibition leaders said if he were nominated the state Republican dry vote would "just stay at home" on election day. The liquor question did not enter into the Democratic primary contests in the Empire state.

SENATOR NYE's committee on campaign expenditures wound up its hearings in Chicago with several hectic sessions in the course of which the chairman denied flatly that the committee or its agents were in any way responsible for the tapping of Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick's telephone wires or for other espionage which she charges to their account. He thereupon refused to listen formally to her accusations. However, photographs showing the wire tapping were shown the committee by T. B. Thompson, publisher of a Rockford newspaper and Mrs. McCormick controls, and he also managed to get into the record the charge that this was the work of the committee or its investigators, coupled with the warning that the incident would be kept in the public mind.

PRESIDENT HOOVER named three more men to be members of the new tariff board. They are Prof. John Lee Cooper of North Dakota, at present chief economist of the tariff commission, and E. B. Brossard, chairman of the outgoing board, Republicans; and Alfred P. Dennis of Maryland, Democrat.

Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi indicated that the Democrats would oppose confirmation of all three, as well as of Henry P. Fletcher, previously appointed chairman of the commission. He had nothing to say against Thomas Walker Page of Virginia, Democrat, also named some time ago.

SECRETARY of the Interior Wilbur went out to Nevada and formally inaugurated work on the \$105,000,000 Boulder dam by driving a silver spike into a life of the railroad that will be used to haul material. As he welded the spike he said: "I have the honor to name this dam after a great engineer, who really started this greatest project of all time—the Hoover dam." Officials from six Colorado river basin states—Nevada, California, Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, and Wyoming—attended the ceremony.

GERMANY, and with it all the world, was started by the remarkable victory won in the parli-

mentary elections by the so-called Fascists, the reactionaries led by Adolf Hitler who organized the Bavarian "putzch" in 1923. When the votes were counted it was found that in the new reichstag of 578 deputies the Hitlerites had captured 107 seats, making them second only to the Socialists with 143. The Fascists had announced they favored a stern dictatorship, and many of them are really monarchists. For this reason it was suggested they might merge with Dr. Alfred Hugenberg's Nationalist party. Such a coalition would have 148 seats and could claim the task of forming a new ministry.

The present cabinet unanimously decided that Chancellor Brüning should keep office and present his program to the new reichstag which convenes on October 13. Brüning's Centrist party has only 68 seats and must rely on help from the Socialists and some of the many minor parties. President von Hindenburg doesn't wish to let the Socialists form a cabinet. The Fascists announced they would adopt only legal means of obtaining places in the government.

There is no expectation of a revolutionary change in German foreign policy, but France was disturbed by the Fascist victory and Italy was somewhat elated. The French nationalists foresaw the end of the Locarno pact and of Briand's policy of conciliation with Germany. The Italians felt strengthened in their military and other disputes with France, and it was anticipated generally that the assault of the Socialists might retard the disarmament pacts and prolong the unsettled condition in Europe.

GREAT BRITAIN has announced that on October 1 she will return the city and port of Weihaiwei to Chinese jurisdiction. Weihaiwei is in northeastern Shantung. It consists of "Lung" island, a few uninhabited islets, and extensive mainland territory, the whole area being 235 square miles.

Before the China-Japan war of 1904-1905 Weihaiwei was a fortified naval port. The Japanese captured Weihaiwei and held the district until peace terms were arranged. In 1918, after Russia had seized Port Arthur, Great Britain obtained a lease of Weihaiwei and adjacent territory "for as long a period as Port Arthur shall remain in the occupation of Russia."

The Chinese and British governments have reached an agreement whereby \$12,500,000 from the British share of the Boxer indemnity fund will be expended in completing the construction of the Canton and Hankow railway, a distance of about 300 miles.

GETTING down to business, the assembly of the League of Nations in plenary session adopted a resolution that a special committee should be named to study Briand's scheme for a federation of European states, and that non-members of the League be asked to assist in the parties. The plan was thus removed from the agenda of the assembly for one year. Guatemala, Norway and the Irish Free State were given seats on the council of the request of China for a re-election to that body was turned down.

Frank B. Kellogg, former American secretary of state, was elected to the World court to fill out the unexpired term of Charles Evans Hughes. Mr. Kellogg received 30 votes of the 47 cast. It is believed he will be chosen for the full term when the full bench is elected.

OFFICIAL announcements have been made that the United States, Great Britain and France would recognize the de facto government of Argentina. And the United States also has accorded recognition to the new regime in Peru and Bolivia. Secretary of State Stimson said: "In reaching the conclusion to accord recognition to these three governments, the evidence has satisfied me that these provisional governments are de facto in control of their respective countries and that there is no active resistance to their rule. Each of the present governments has also made it clear that it is its intention to fulfill its respective international obligations and to hold in due course elections to regularize its status."

Yrigoyen, deposed president of Argentina, still held prisoner on a battleship, urged his followers to accept the situation peacefully, and the leaders of his party signed an agreement to co-operate with the provisional government in keeping peace and order. Uruguay has severed diplomatic relations with Peru, charging the military junta in control at Lima with treaty violations and other offenses.

CANADA's new government, seeking relief for unemployment and business depression, has put into effect high tariff protection against the whole world and the United States in particular. The new schedules went into effect immediately, but must be formally acted on by parliament. The major tariff increases in the bill are aimed against farm machinery, automobile parts, fresh meats, butter, gasoline, boots and shoes, iron and steel, cotton and woolen textiles, machinery and paper. The jettisoning of the late Liberal government's countervailing duties against America in favor of rigid duties of about the same proportions is but a forerunner. Premier Bennett said, to complete upward tariff revision next session.

LIEUT. HAROLD L. BROMLEY and Harold Gatty made their fourth attempt at nonstop flight across the Pacific, starting in their biplane, City of Tacoma, from Japan. But they ran into dense fog and high winds and had to turn back when an exhaust pipe broke. They landed safely at a village on the northeast point of the mainland of Japan, and have abandoned the project for this year.

Coste and Bellonte, the French transatlantic flyers, started out on a good-will tour that was to take them to dozens of important cities in the United States. Everywhere they were being received with great honors.

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## AGRICULTURAL NOTES



There is no "best" breed of any plan to hang a cage before a window, where the birds will get light and sunshine, provided it is draft-proof and kept closed in cold or stormy weather. Keep the room at a fairly even temperature day and night, and in cold weather cover the cage with a cloth at night, says the Survey. Don't hang a cage above a radiator, or in the kitchen.

Many a valuable boar is sent to the block when he should be kept in the breeding herd. There are not many sires of superior quality, and if a boar proves to be a superior sire it pays to keep him as long as he can successfully breed the sows of the herd.

Begin the education of the colt as early as possible. Handle and pet him never-tease or "rough" a colt. A good plan is to break the colt to lead before it is weaned and to harness it between the ages of 2 and 3 years. Accustom a colt to work gradually and do not use it at heavy work until it is practically mature.

Stears will be in better condition for shipping if they are given such feeds as oats, flax, and linseed meal toward the end of the feeding period. Other grains and all laxative feeds, including silage and legume hay, should be reduced at least half during the last two or three days before shipping. Some dry roughage such as grass hay should be fed.

To liquify crystallized extracted honey, heat it in a double boiler. Never heat honey directly over a stove or flame, as this injures the flavor. Most honeys will crystallize and harden if exposed to changes of temperature. However, many people prefer to use honey in crystallized form. Honey heated higher than 160 degrees F. quickly loses its delicate flavor and thickens rapidly.

Poultry need more mineral feed in proportion to their total feed requirements than most other classes of animals. Mineral feed is best supplied in the form of crushed oyster shells, or limestone, which furnishes calcium for the egg-shells. Steamed bone meal may also be fed to advantage, especially to supply phosphorus. The bone meal may be mixed with the mash ration. Bone meal contains lime and phosphorus, which are highly important for egg production.

Although canaries when acclimated can stand a good deal of cold, they are susceptible to sudden changes in temperature, and their cages should be hung away from drafts, says the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is a good

### S. W. STRAUS LONG RECOGNIZED AS AMERICA'S MOST MILITANT THIFT ADVOCATE

(By H. R. DANIEL, Secretary American Society for Thrift)

The death of S. W. Straus removed from the field of activity the most militant advocate of thrift in America. It is doubtful in fact, if any other individual has ever worked as constantly and aggressively over a long period of years in the interest of popular thrift education.

To him, widespread adherence to thrift practices meant the solution of many of our deepest economic and sociological problems. His interpretation of the meaning of thrift brought about an entirely new and popular point of view on the subject. Before S. W. Straus took up the cudgels for thrift that word to the vast majority of persons meant merely saving money. It had nothing to do with one's general progress and success in life.

But S. W. Straus strove to teach throughout his life, particularly during the last twenty years, that thrift of health and thrift of time were just as important as thrift of money. It was his belief, so strongly grounded that it might well have been called his creed, that any individual who practiced intelligent thrift was not only improving his own financial status but was developing a strong moral fibre and rounding out a fine and noble character. To be thrifty, therefore, meant to avoid all practices and habits that were really harmful to the individual or were in any way inclined to stay his success. It would not be possible to place any estimate on the value of the work accomplished by S. W. Straus during his lifetime in striving to encourage practices of thrift by the masses of the people in this country.

His weekly articles were read by millions and the steady stream of letters he received continually from persons who had been encouraged through these articles to adopt habits of thrift attested to the fact that his thrift teachings had a very vital hold on the American public.

### Starling Travels Far

Starlings migrated to the West from eastern states, where they have been multiplying since their introduction in the early nineties. In 1900 and 1901 about 100 birds were released in Central park, New York, and now the starling is well known in almost every state east of the Mississippi.

Many insect pests of the vegetable garden find protection under boards, stakes and other loose materials left in the garden during the winter. These should be cleaned up. The dead vines of dead leaves of the crop plants may harbor diseases and insects which will attack the crops the following year. As soon as the crop is removed all parts remains should be turned under deeply and thoroughly in order to check the development of certain insects and diseases. If a crop is known to have been badly infested by insects or diseases it is safer to remove the plant remains and burn them even though this involves a loss of organic matter which, under ordinary conditions, should be returned to the soil. If it becomes doubly necessary to supply organic matter to the soil in the form of manure, or green-manure grown specifically for that purpose.

Sell Eggs On Quality Basis. If you sell eggs to local dealers, insist on selling them on a quality basis, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Under a quality basis, the buyer does not pay for eggs that are unwholesome and unfit for food; and he should pay a differential, based on quality, for the good eggs. This system offers an incentive to produce good eggs. Some States regulating egg-buying require purchasing on the loss-off basis.

### Storing Soybeans

Be careful in curing and storing soybeans, as they spoil easily, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Watch the beans after threshing to prevent heating and molding. If they are to be used for seed, or if they are immature or contain a high percentage of damaged beans and foreign material, let them dry out thoroughly by spreading them on a floor immediately after threshing and turning them over from time to time before putting them in sacks or bins. The storeroom should be dry. There should be a free circulation of air around the sacks—cross piling them will accomplish this.

### Rammed Fish Patrol Boat

John S. Johnson, arrested a month ago after he had rammed the Conservation Department's commercial fishing patrol No. 1 and broke its net aggregating \$108.70, when he admitted violating two Michigan commercial fish regulations. Johnson was convicted of fishing with nets without the proper identifying marks. Johnson is charged to have rammed the patrol boat when it was engaged in inspecting and lifting his nets.

### What A Woman

45 to 49 Should Weigh

Beware of Fat

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## KONJOLA GIVES PROMPT RELIEF FROM NEURITIS

Detroit Lady Ends Twelve Years Of Suffering—Gives All Credit To New Medicine



MRS. CLARA KOWALSKI

"For twelve years I suffered terribly with neuritis pains in my arms and lower limbs," said Mrs. Clara Kowalski, 3392 Palmer Avenue, Detroit. "I also had back pains that were very severe. All this suffering brought on a general run down condition and I became very nervous."

"I learned from a neighbor, Mr. Harry Prepski, that Konjola was all that was claimed for it and it had helped many of his fellow workers at the Detroit Creamery. I realized that mine was a stubborn case and I kept up the treatment until I had taken sixteen bottles of Konjola. Today I am in good health again. My system has been rid of poisons and I am free from the dread pains."

The files of Konjola are filled with just such instances. Konjola is free from alcohol, nerve deadening drugs or heart depressing chemicals. Konjola is sold in Grayling, Michigan at the Mac & Gidley drug store and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

One way to help the anti-poison campaign would be to induce Congress to go on a ten-year vacation.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Tor-kid Boeson, late of the Village of Grayling, in said County, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 15th day of September A. D. 1930, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said County, on or before the 10th day of January A. D. 1931, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 10th day of January A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 15th day of September A. D. 1930.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy, George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

9-18-4

### TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: The southeast quarter of the north-west quarter of Sec. 3, Town 28N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$4.89, tax for year 1928.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$..... plus the fees of the Sheriff.

George Wesley Philhour, Place of business, 311 N. Seventh St., Fairbury, Illinois.

To H. J. Goggel, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ) ss.

COUNTY OF CRAWFORD ) ss.

I do hereby certify and return, that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 28th day of July, 1930, and that on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1930, I served a copy upon Jay A. Walsh, and to whom said notice is addressed, by personally delivering such notice to said above named person, in said County of Crawford, the said person being resident of said County.

My fees, \$1.10.

J. E. BOENMOYER, Sheriff of Crawford County.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ) ss.

COUNTY OF WAYNE ) ss.

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My fees, \$ .85.

IRA WILSON, Sheriff of County of Wayne.

By Deputy Sheriff Katherine Ziemer.

9-11-4

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Hans R. Nelson, late of the Village of Grayling, in said County, deceased.

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Dated September 5th, A. D. 1930.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy, George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

9-11-4

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

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## Hunters, Attention!

**Our Complete Showing of Hunting Equipment Is Ready**

For many years we have enjoyed the privilege of supplying sportsmen with their complete equipment. Guns, Shells, Hunting Clothes, and other necessities to make the hunt enjoyable are now on display.



## HANSON HARDWARE

Phone 21 **CO. Grayling**

## Local Happenings

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1930

Orlando F. Barnes of Lansing was here on business Tuesday.

Ladies coat sale at Cooley's Gift Shop, Saturday, Sept. 27. —Adv.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert spent Thursday in Saginaw and Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Jessie Lytle has returned from Mantron and re-entered Grayling High school.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Green and little daughter were guests over the week end of the Dr.'s mother, Mrs. Anna Green of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wescott of Ypsilanti arrived Thursday to visit Mrs. Wescott's mother, Mrs. J. H. Harmon and also to attend the Lumbermen's outing.

Mrs. C. R. Keyport received word Monday that her brother, Clifford Walton was very ill with pneumonia. Later news however, showed that he was some improved.

Mrs. Phoebe Miller and son, Charles of Lovells came yesterday to spend the remainder of the week visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. James McNeven and family.

Tuesday evening a party of sixteen enjoyed a pot luck dinner at Pleasant Valley. Later in the evening the party went to the summer home of Mrs. Olaf Michelson for bridge. High scores were held by Mrs. C. G. Clippert and Carl Johnson.

Mrs. Yvonne Sullivan, who for the past year has been in charge of the local telephone exchange has resigned and accepted a position with the Algonquin office. She will begin her duties there at once. Mrs. Sullivan has been a very efficient agent for the Tri-County Company and during her stay here has given excellent service. Mrs. Ruth Mack is now in charge of the local office.

The old Grayling friends of Emil Hanson will be pleased to learn that he has just received another promotion and is now the chief clerk in the office of Assistant Manager McKee of the New York Central lines at its main office in Detroit. Emil started in the railroad business in Grayling as clerk in the trainmaster's office that he has been in for five years and his climb has been gradual and steady until he has reached this very responsible position. He is a brother of H. Hanson of the Hanson restaurant.

Alex LaGrow was dismissed from Mercy Hospital last week and is feeling some improved.

Mrs. Eva Reagan and Mrs. Holger Peterson drove to Charlevoix and Petoskey Wednesday.

There will be a regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O.E.S. No. 83 at the American Legion hall Wednesday evening, October 1st.

Gerald Poor with Miss Inez Anderson of McBain drove to Traverse City and spent the week end with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. Chas. Poor.

The Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church will meet Friday, Oct. 3 at the home of Mrs. E. N. Darveau. Everyone is urged to attend.

Great removal sale next Saturday of hosiery, towels, and many other left-overs in the dry goods line. Anticipate your needs now and take advantage of substantial savings. S. B. Variety Store. —Adv.

Mrs. Andrew Smith of Saginaw is spending the week visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Nikolai Schmitz. Mrs. Smith is renewing the subscription of her father, John Olson, to the Avalanche says the old gentleman enjoys the paper and says he can't get along without it. Mr. Olson was a resident of Grayling for many years but of late years has been making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Jane Patton, who had resided in this county for over 25 years, passed away Saturday morning at the County Infirmary at the ripe old age of 93 years. Mr. Patton, who also lived to a ripe age, preceded her in death about a year ago. The funeral of Mrs. Patton was held Monday morning from Sorenson Bros. Undertaking parlors. It appears that there never had been any children in their family and no other relatives are known of.

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion are getting ready to fill their annual quota of fruit to be sent to help fill the fruit shelves at the U. S. Veterans' and American Legion hospitals at Battle Creek and the Otter Lake Children's Billet. Members are urged to make their donations of fruit as soon as possible, and any others who would like to help out in this worthy cause may do so. Jellies, jams, or canned fruits will be welcomed, and by call, ining 93-W they will be called for. Also in the railroad business in Grayling if anyone has any cast-off clothing as clerk in the trainmaster's office that he has been in for five years and his climb has been gradual and steady until he has reached this very responsible position. He is a brother of H. Hanson of the Hanson restaurant.



If You Haven't Tried Our

## PIES

You're Missing Something

They are like those made at home.

**Grayling Bakery Phone 16**

Emil Kraus left Monday for Detroit on business.

Mrs. John Schram had the misfortune to fall in the yard at her home, injuring her knee quite badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doroh and little daughter and Mrs. Herman Doroh drove to Kalkaska and spent the day Sunday.

Miss Mable Brasie returned Monday from Detroit and Royal Oak. While away she attended a reunion of her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Larson of Saginaw stopped in Grayling last Thursday enroute to Vanderbilt to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Helen Schumann, accompanied by Miss Patricia Flynn and Oscar Wilkinson of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Becker of Monroe were here over the week end in attendance at the Lumbermen's convention and also visiting old Grayling friends.

The Variety stock sale will be continued at the furniture store where most of that stock will be on display until it is all disposed of. Sorenson Bros. —Adv.

Carry a small shovel in your car when you go camping. A few minutes time in covering your fire over with dirt may protect your favorite spot from destruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schable and family returned from Lansing last of the week where they attended the funeral of Mr. Schable's sister, Mrs. Henry Baumgras.

Mrs. Jerry Sherman has been spending the past couple of weeks in Bay City, Owosso and other places. Mr. Sherman accompanied her to Bay City returning the same day.

Geo. Granger arrived home from Sault Ste. Marie Friday where he has been employed this summer. He will leave soon for M. S. C. at Lansing where he is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke returned Friday from an auto trip to Detroit, Toledo, Irish Hills and adjacent cities. They were accompanied by Miss Ethel Collins who returned Monday to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hewitt are happy over the arrival of a baby girl born Monday morning at Mercy Hospital. Five girls will be lots of help to mother, but where does help for daddy come in?

Mr. Henry Baumgras, accompanied by Mrs. Claude Ryan and Miss Velma Schable, returned from Lansing Friday. They all were guests of George Schable and family of the Military reservation until Sunday.

Emerson Brown left Wednesday for Standish where he will play with Angelo Lorenzo's orchestra at the Arena County fair. From Standish he will go to Ann Arbor where he will enter the University for another year of study.

Mrs. Diana Haynes, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Gibbons, enjoyed a visit last week from her brother, John Higley, wife and son of Hillsdale. This was their first trip north and they liked it very much. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Feldhauser, Mrs. Albert Knibbs, Mrs. Ben Pankow, Mrs. Paul Feldhauser and Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser are attending the state convention of the Ladies National League that is being held in Flint Sept. 24th and 25th. They left Tuesday morning and will return tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Corwin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson and Ruth Corwin drove to Lansing Sunday to see Miss Bernice Corwin, who is a patient at Sparrow Hospital. Mrs. Corwin remained, and accompanied by Miss Mildred Corwin and Frank Bromley will return Friday bringing Miss Bernice home to convalesce from her operation.

The University of Michigan is offering a series of radio talks on the general subject of "Parental Education" which is to be given on Sunday afternoons at five o'clock, beginning September 28th and continuing through most of the University year, with introductory talks by Dr. Alexander R. Ruthven and Mrs. J. K. Pattengill. These talks are to be broadcast over WJR, the "Good-will" station, Detroit. Parents should be especially interested in these broadcasts. Tune in Sunday afternoons at 5 o'clock.

The ladies of the Danish Sisterhood had a most delightful auto trip to Harbor Springs and Petoskey on Thursday. They stopped enroute at Vanderbilt and were guests of Mrs. John Yull Jr. Mrs. Yull then joined the party and enjoyed the remainder of the trip with the ladies. Included in the party were Mrs. Emil Neiderer, Mrs. Earl Dawson, Mrs. Hans Peterson, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. Robt. Ziebell, Mrs. Joseph McLeod, Mrs. J. W. Randolph, Mrs. Rasmus Jorgensen, Mrs. Walter Hanson, Miss Irene Randolph and Miss Alyce Mahneke.

Last Thursday afternoon twenty-three members and guests of Our Gang gathered at the home of Mrs. Sherman Neal. This was the largest attendance the Club has had in a long time. There were six guests: Mrs. Gust Winterlee, Mrs. Geo. Woods, Mrs. Wm. Moshier, Mrs. Wm. Christenson, Mrs. Harry Ward and Mrs. Phoebe Owens. Birthday gifts were received by Mrs. Kenneth Clise, Mrs. Sherman Neal and Mrs. Frank Scriven for the month of September. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Albert Knibbs. A very delicious lunch was served to all by the hostess and committee. The next meeting of Our Gang will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Scriven on Oct. 2.

Mrs. Vera Mawhinney spent the week end in Detroit.

Edward Mayotte spent the week end at his home in Munising.

Don't miss the Coat Sale at Cooley's Gift Shop Saturday, Sept. 27. One day only. All spiffy new fall coats. —Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Bay City are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing at her farm home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell are enjoying a several days visit with relatives at Oscoda, leaving for that place Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hanselman enjoyed a motor trip from Friday morning until Monday night that took them to Lansing, Jackson and Ann Arbor.

The High school Alumni are making plans for a winning basketball team this season. The first meeting was held one evening last week with a large number out.

The Red Arrow club have organized and elected the following officers: Hans Petersen, president; Alfred Hanson, vice president; J. W. Sorenson, secretary, and Frank Barnett, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Howard returned to their home in Flint Sunday after spending two weeks at the D. C. Smith cottage at Lake Margrethe. They reported fine catches of pike and bass.

Relatives and a few friends enjoyed themselves at the home of Harry Sorenson Tuesday evening, surprising him in honor of his birthday anniversary. There were some fifteen present and a fine pot luck lunch was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex LaGrow enjoyed a visit last Sunday from Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Donald LaGrow and Joseph LaGrow, all of Saginaw. Mrs. Johnston and the two latter gentlemen are sister and brothers of Mr. LaGrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Herluf Sorenson enjoyed having as their guests last Thursday, Mrs. Andrew Johnson and Mrs. Ralph Jamieson of Cadillac, both sisters of Mrs. Sorenson, also Mr. and Mrs. Norris Kelley of Romeo, the latter who is a niece of Mrs. Sorenson.

Mrs. Lipman Landsberg returned to her home in Inkster Sunday after a several weeks stay at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Marguerite, and Jimmy Price of Roscommon, who returned the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cripps and A. R. Calk were in Detroit over the week end, the former going there to bring their household furniture to Grayling. They have been making their home here for some time past with Mr. Cripps' mother, Mrs. John Cripps.

John McCormack in "Song O' My Heart" will be presented at Rialto theatre tonight and Friday night. Don't miss this great production. In it McCormack will sing some of his popular songs. Hear his marvelous voice and see this exceptional movie production.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson and son Jimmy of Gaylord visited Mrs. Peter Nelson and the A. L. Roberts family one day last week enroute from Grand Rapids, where they had accompanied their daughter, Miss Lorraine to attend the Marywood Academy for Girls.

Miss Faye Matheson and Miss Clarice Welch of Mercy Hospital Training school left today for Detroit where they will enter training at the Children's Free hospital for several months. Later they will return to Grayling to finish up their studies before graduation.

Mrs. D. C. Smith, H. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Liles and children, all of Vassar, arrived Monday and are spending the week at the Smith cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mrs. Smith says this is the first visit here for her guests and that they are delighted with the lake and are more than enjoying themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton returned to their home near Detroit Wednesday after the latter had been here for several weeks caring for her mother, Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen. At present Mrs. M. T. Younken and little daughter Ruth of Detroit are here visiting at the Rasmussen home.

Rev. J. W. Greenwood returned home from the district conference Monday. He has been assigned to pastorate at Grayling for another year. He had been accorded a unanimous invitation by the church board to return. We know this is going to please the members of his congregation and the people of Grayling generally. Welcome back!

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. White of Lansing spent last week here visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Peter Nelson. They also spent some time at Gaylord visiting Mrs. White's brother, Walter Nelson and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoffman of Lansing drove to Grayling and spent the week end, on their return being accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. White.

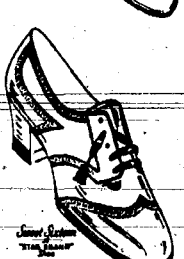
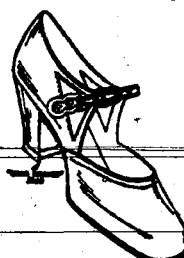
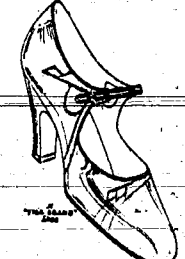
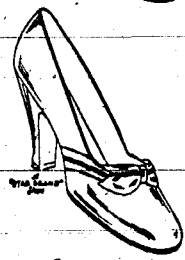
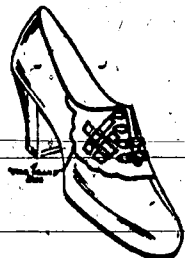
The north is again ablaze in colors. The most attractive time of the year is here and thousands of tourists are trekking north these days just to spend a few hours or days amidst these bowers of beautiful vari-colored trees and shrubbery. The trees along the highways and in the wooded districts present a crimson, yellow, green and other colors in hundreds of different shades, some of which it would baffle an artist to match. Lovers of nature and of colors will find the north most attractive at this time. Go to the woods; take your friends and together enjoy nature's most colorful garb.

## New Shoes For Fall

**H**UNDREDS of pairs of brand-new footwear now being shown. You'll find a wonderfully wide selection of styles in Kid, Patent and Calf in Brown or Black. Pumps, Ties, Straps and Oxfords.

All Sizes—All Widths—Combination Lasts

**\$3.50 to \$6.50**



## Fall Hats

Just unpacked—New Styles in Ladies' Fall Hats—great values at

**\$3.95 and \$4.95**

## Ladies Coats

Extraordinary values in Ladies' and Misses' Coats—Sport or Dress Coats 1930 Styles—at

**\$21.50 to \$39.50**

**Your Winter Togs Are Here—**

Come and see the varied and complete showing of Fall and Winter Clothes

**—And Prices Are Lower**

## Grayling Mercantile Co.

Phone 125—THE QUALITY STORE—Grayling

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven are spending a few days in Detroit.

Dr. Frank Bearsch who is now located at Lake City spent the week end in Grayling.

Anyone having articles for the O.E.S. rummage sale, please call Mrs. William McNeven or Mrs. E. J. Olson.

Mr. Fry of Saginaw will hold a ladies coat sale at Cooley's Gift Shop, Saturday, Sept. 27. One day only.

Marius Insley and Mrs. Eva Reagan drove to West Branch Monday to visit Francis Reagan who is seriously ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and son Casper of Flint are visiting the James and William McNeven families here this week.

Mrs. Katherine Loskos enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Loskos and son Roger and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ekkens of Bay City, over the week end.

Mrs. Lola Kessler, who is employed at the S. B. Variety Store had the misfortune to fall on the steps in front of the store one day last week injuring herself so that she is unable to be around.

Mrs. Joseph McLeod and sons Albert and George Schroeder are in West Branch today in attendance at the funeral of the latter's grand mother, Mrs. Minnie Schroeder, who passed away suddenly Tuesday.

For the pleasure of her son George, who is leaving today (Thursday) for M.S.C. where he is entering his senior year of study, Mrs. Celia Granger entertained the young people of the family with a very delightful dinner party Wednesday. The evening was spent with music and a general good time.

Members of the Golf club and their families will enjoy a pot-luck dinner at the club house Sunday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. This is limited strictly to members of the club and their families. This will close the season's social activities. This has been a wonderful year for the club and the interest is getting greater each season.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Moshier arrived in Grayling Wednesday enroute to the west. Mr. Moshier left Grayling 12 years ago, part of which time he has been in the garage business in New York City. He recently sold his business interests there and says that he has made enough money so that he can retire from business and for the present intends to see some of the country. He and Mrs. Moshier will make their home in Pomona, Calif.

The former is enjoying meeting some of his old time friends. He says he was greatly surprised at the improved appearance of the "Old Home Town" and also at the remarkable system of highways into Northern Michigan, especially the many miles of concrete pavements. To think of so many miles of fine pavement in Crawford county, he says, seems almost incredulous. And, as if he will watch Grayling for the next five years he will be still more proud of it than ever.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvers Sept. 11 at Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Holger C. Schmidt, daughter Miss Marie and son Howard were in Detroit for a few days this week.

Mr. Fry of Saginaw will hold a ladies coat sale at Cooley's Gift Shop, Saturday, Sept. 27. One day only.

Don't assume that the fire you see near the roadside has been reported. Call Central! She will notify the fire wardens.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Robarge on Sept. 22nd, a daughter. To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lovely on Sept. 24th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Schmidt and son Harold motored to Jackson and spent the week end with their son Frank and family, who reside there.

Robert Burrows of Cheboygan is assisting in the meat market of his brother A. S. Burrows this week, while the latter is away on business.

Sam Gust and George Leitz enjoyed a canoe trip down the AuSable as far as Redheads, leaving Saturday morning and returning Sunday night.

The music at the morning service at Michelson Memorial church will include an anthem by the choir and a vocal trio by Mrs. Clippert, Mrs. Jarmin and Mrs. Milnes. Thus music lovers will be assured of an exceptional treat next Sunday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. P. E. Bethards had returned to their home in Toledo some time ago, closing their summer home at Lake Margrethe, but decided to return again this week for a little longer stay. They no doubt will enjoy the wonderful scenery in the vicinity of their cottage at this time of the year even more than they do during the summer, and the weather right now is ideal.

No they had not forgotten, for about forty neighbors, and friends from Grayling went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Wakeley Jr. (Mary T. Vance) last evening and gave them an old-fashioned shivaree. Mr. and Mrs. Wakeley were married a couple of months ago, but just yesterday settled down to housekeeping, having rented the Barnett cottage on the river for the winter. Mrs. Wakeley is the teacher at the Feldhauser school and Mr. Wakeley recently entered business in Grayling. All, including the newlyweds had a merry time, at the latter's expense.

STATE DEPT. RECOGNIZES FAITHFUL SERVICE OF FIRE FIGHTERS

The hundreds of men, who for the past nine weeks have fought almost day and night, the forest fires that have ravaged the state, were lauded in a resolution adopted unanimously by the Conservation Commission at its September meeting.

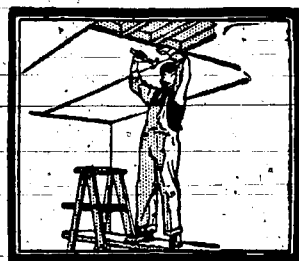
The resolution said: "To all members of the forest fire division and to all men who have served on fire duty this year: "In recognition of the faithful and valiant service rendered by you over the forest fire hazard season of the past nine weeks the members of this Commission desire to express their

heartly appreciation of your efforts and to commend you upon the splendid results you have achieved in keeping losses to a minimum during a period of drought not exceeded within the past 41 years.

"There is little we can say to compensate you for the sacrifice to your own well being you have made, but the people of the State of Michigan are proud in the knowledge they possess a fire fighting organization second to none in the entire United States"

## Piano Tuning

M. A. Morford, piano tuner, will be in Grayling about Oct. 1st. Leave orders with Olaf Sorenson & Sons.



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# The Log Office Says

Interpreting bits of news and comment about Northeastern Michigan gathered by the E. M. T. A.

## EAST MICHIGAN SENDS AMBASSADORS

(By Katherine Banta)

I was supposed to wait until peaceful reflection had set in before I wrote a column on the Eastern Michigan Water Carnival. At least, I'm told there was a carnival here, though I didn't see any of it except the parade and the beauty judging. That's the trouble with being a chaperon—always making background for stars.

But how could anyone reflect on the carnival when one was on tour with 21 examples of youth and beauty, jaunting to a new town each day in a Blue Goose bus, carrying the message of East Michigan's playground to 17 towns and all the space between, making three shows a day in Butterfield theatres? The only time left for deep thinking was after the last bathing beauty was tucked in bed at night and before the telephone began ringing early in the morning asking "to borrow the electric iron," "did I leave my compact in your room," "what time is breakfast," and "will you put something on my blistered heels if I come down right away?"

I may have been accused of piling up the adjectives in description of the natural beauties of East Michigan. But after this, I'm filled with new adjectives—much more descriptive than any I had previously at my command. At least the lakes of this region can't have toothaches at 1 a. m., the daisies don't eat seven green apples at the eating and have to have first aid, the forests and parks don't get homesick and sob for mother, and the rivers pursue the regular course prescribed by the Conducto of the Tou.

But, all joking aside, the 21 girls who made the Butterfield tour, spreading the gospel of East Michigan for swimming, fishing and touring, are a great bunch of kids. It would be difficult to find 21 others as loyal, as reasonable, as of fine disposition, as good sports in all the difficult situations that naturally arise on such a trip, as appreciative of what was being done for them by the Eastern Michigan Carnival Committee and the Butterfield Theatres, and as willing to give value received in cooperation and a topnotch stage show at 53 performances. It wasn't easy. It's never easy for youth to conform to rule

and regulation for the sake of an idea. This idea was for the good of the water carnival and East Michigan. But they did conform. And I'm prouder than ever of the beauties of East Michigan.

East Michigan, its advantages as a recreation-land, its pre-eminence as the home of summer sports, "Oh, but you should see the lakes in my section," and "they catch more fish in the river near my town than in any other part of the state," were to be heard daily in the girls' arguments with each other and in their conversation with new friends. Confirmation of my written words? I found it in their enthusiastic propaganda.

In Grand Rapids, in St. Jo, in Benton Harbor, in Niles and Three Rivers, in Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, and Adrian, all strongholds of the Blossom Festival, these ambassadors have laid the foundation of the idea that East Michigan is, after all, the most delightful place for a vacation. I even heard our winter sports creep into the table talk at Exchange Club luncheons and Chamber of Commerce dinners.

As for the Lord High Chancellor of the Court of Miss Eastern Michigan, for that is how Jimmy Weissmuller was introduced—he was just that, as well as right bower of two busy chaperons. And never was prince of the realm more conscious of his royal responsibility of upholding the dignity of a queen's entourage than was Joe Cops, publicity manager of the B.V.D. Company, manager of the swimming champion, and co-chaperon with Miss Martin of the Bay City Times and the writer of this column. Besides, let it be said for Harry Irons, Butterfield manager of the troupe, that no greater compliment could have been paid him than the fact that he was affectionately called "Daddy Irons" by all of us. When co-operation co-ops, it's a jewel in any crown.

Moreover, I think that in this interesting group of girls, the Third Annual Eastern Michigan Water Carnival will have 21 enthusiastic boosters. There are keen minds, resourcefulness, energy, loyalty to a cause, and far above the average in good looks. If the carnival committee for next year is smart, it will enlist these girls in active carnival work in their own districts early in the carnival campaign.

## AMERICAN OBSERVATIONS

(By Jay Taylor)

Americans travelling in South America and the Orient are always astonished to find the unfriendly attitude that prevails there toward the United States.

This is easily explained. Most of the news, relative to our country, published in these places, has been carefully prepared for the purpose of poisoning the minds of their people against America. For more than fifty years by this method, our actions and our motives have been maliciously and persistently misrepresented.

This campaign has been carried on from the beginning under European inspiration. It has done more damage to our diplomatic relations, than all our ambassadors, ministers and consuls could possibly overcome. The has seriously interfered with our commerce and has greatly increased the difficulties of working out our many diplomatic problems.

European governments and their agents have been permitted to carry on this work without interference. The propaganda has been so insidious that it has not been generally recognized. But it has been effective, and so continuous and general that there is no longer any doubt as to its source and its motive.

It is therefore more than surprising that our government permitted this misrepresentation to go on for years without even a protest. European nations that are responsible for this campaign to prejudice the world against America, are all interested in maintaining friendly relations with this country.

Why should such an outrage against the welfare of the United States be allowed to continue indefinitely? The has seriously interfered with our commerce and has greatly increased the difficulties of working out our many diplomatic problems.

## WRITES OF TRIP TO ITALY

The road to Rome—a pleasant morning's journey from Naples—I feel queerly tired tho—I guess it is because I cannot dismiss the earthquake. Not many on the train—no one else in the compartment. I was able to sleep a bit. Pleasant country to ride thru—rolling—reminded me, somewhat, of northern California with a bit of Nevada thrown in for dust and barrenness—many tunnels—small squares of farms—dusty roadsides—many goats—fields dotted with little huts made of millet perhaps.

Now we pass the aqueducts, or rather the ancient ruins of them. These ruins, you recall from your history learned so many years ago, were built by one Claudius in the year 52 A. D. There were 14 of these aqueducts which served Rome with a total length of 360 miles. A magnificent feat of engineering—Now you see sections of it at times from the train—reminding you ever so much of huge sections of some very great stadium.

On time—We arrive at a spacious airy, severely plain station—a taxi to the Mitton-Pensone on the Pincian Hill. This is a reasonable, comfortable place in the midst of so much that should be of interest to anyone visiting Rome. From my balcony room I can look out thru the gates of the old Roman wall into the Medici gardens to the east low mountains that reach towards the Alps; to the west, a majestic view reaching from the Janiculum Hill to St. Peter's and all between the spires of famous churches. The American Express just down the Spanish steps—terraced steps, perhaps as beautiful as any to be found anywhere—wrongly named however, for they were constructed at great cost by the French. They do lead to the Square of the Spanish, hence the name.

I mention the American Express, not because it is ever anything to include in a view, but because it means mail and American information—it is nice to have that handy, especially since closing hours follow the Italian fashion—open at nine, closed from twelve to two and again at six. Someway I'm finding it a bit difficult to become convinced that this is true, but I'll learn if I continue to find church, school and shopping district closed against me in the early afternoon.

From my hotel I can dodge out and make the mails easily and feel very comfortable to settle down at the Golden Gate tea tables nearby to read my mail—to write or study and sip coffee with the rest of the Romans—and gaze at the never-ending procession of interesting humans who surge past. Who do I see? Well, let us check for five minutes. There go the King's guards—tall, handsome fellows—all over six feet—still taller appearing in their dark suits and tall helmets with eagle wings of gilt springing from the back of the helmet—There a fat little French officer with his breast covered with medals—at that table some smart well-dressed American men and women—beside them a ragged beggar and further away monks in scarlet robes file along. Right close to me are soldiers with foxgy black faces, the thin flat hats—swords apertly, also a lady who has just bought her first monocle. I think. Smartly dressed women, strangers from the East and West, North and South, officers in bright uniforms, artists in every sort of garb, priests, friars, monks, ecclesiastics of high degree—happy people—sad, wretched creatures, all form picture of interest from the sidewalk tables of the Golden Gate.

I like this—and here I am quite content when Rome is closed during the heat of the day. Could easily sit here all day but as a matter of fact I do get about somewhat. For instance, this morning I visited the Borghese Museum—once a grand palace, still an exquisite place—full of paintings and sculpture—a place one should visit again and again to get a proper value of all that is gathered there. Titian's "Sacred and Profane Love" is here. Bernini's "Apollo and Daphne" executed in his 25th year, are unforgettable—so are the glimpses of the enclosed gardens of the Borghese.

St. Peter's took the rest of the day and needs more time for full appreciation. Profoundly impressive vastness reduces you to a complete state of awe. Vatican guards are numerous enough. I saw one young woman corrected for holding her escort's arm as she gazed up into the dome. "Orders from the Vatican" do not permit this, evidently. One girl in a sleeveless sport outfit was ordered to put on her jacket. There are printed "orders" everywhere asking gentlemen not to spit on the floors of the church. It is rather amusing to consider there are such "gentlemen"—still you can never tell about these men—the Pope didn't put that sign there for nothing I'll wager. I visited the lower regions—the crypts. I should like, to go again when I'm feeling better—the

## Nearly Killed by Gas Druggist Saves Her

(By Jay Taylor)

"Gas on my stomach was so bad it nearly killed me. My druggist told me about Adlerika. The gas is gone now and I feel fine."—Mrs. A. Adam.

Simple glycerine, buckhorn, saline, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, helps GAS on stomach in 10 minutes! Most theatre (the previously had had little remedies act on lower bowels only, opportunity to witness this form of but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper enteric) and was interestingly and lower bowels, removing poisonous waste you never knew was there. Relieves constipation in 2 hours. It on end and he trembled in apprehension will surprise you. Mac & Gidley, druggists.

earthquake upset me for a few days). I should like time to study more about the personalities of the men who lie in these imposing tombs under St. Peter's. The mosaics are very good but the paintings down here for the most part are poor. Spent considerable time at the tombs of the Stuardi, the only English Pope, Adrian IV, C. Nicholas Breakspear, also that of Queen Christina of Sweden. From the crypt I took a "lift"—as they call an elevator and went to the dome. From the far vantage of the railings one can truly appreciate the wonderful mosaic work which appears like huge paintings from below. An attendant in reply to my inquiry, as to where the material comes from, told me all the mosaic was a composition, very hard, due to the heating process it went thru. He took a coin and wore off a considerable amount of the metal scratching a picture, with no harm to the picture. Thousands of these little stones are fitted to form the figures of the varied colored designs—exceedingly beautiful and quite safe for the centuries to come as light and the erosive effects of climate produce little depreciation in mosaics—the same designs in oil painting naturally could not withstand the punishment of years, hence the very common use of this exquisite work in the cathedrals. Until one is very near, you can readily believe the design are done in oil, for there is so much of color and lightness and variance of color and line in all this work, whether in a huge dome, on the walls or on the floor.

Not content with the dome I climbed considerably higher, into the bronze ball at the very top of St. Peter's. This ball appears very tiny from the street—in reality it will hold 16 people—so glad I was not there when I was—for it was hotter than any place I've ever tried to breathe. A majestic view, tho—all of Rome—its hundreds of churches, the colosseum in the center of town—the twisting, dirty, little Tiber River—all gorgeous from St. Peter's.

In all respect to the Tiber, I must add that it is not always so innocent as it appears today. On occasion it rises to 30 or 40 ft. and defies any Roman to keep it within bounds. About every 20 years it gets very tricky at unsuspected spots in Rome, and undermines the best engineering efforts with resulting loss of life and prosperity, to say nothing of the injury to the vanity of the city board of trade at that particular date.

I left St. Peter's and I must go back—not because it is so beautiful but because it does, in its vastness, represent great power.

It is now very hot—one should retreat to some cool place for a hot drink—coffee and those delicious pastries. This time let us go to the oldest cafe in Rome, the Caffe Greco, a landmark of both ancient and modern artistic Rome. As you know this cafe has a very interesting history, having been since the date of its foundation, the meeting place of artists, poets and writers of all countries. Byron, Shelley, Goethe, Keats, Mark Twain, Gogol, Canova, Gounod, Wagner, King Ludwig of Bavaria and many other world celebrities having been constant habitues of this place. A great number of paintings, sculptures, medallions, portraits, miniatures and records of, and by various celebrities adorn the walls and ceilings of this remarkable old place, a cafe quite unique of its kind. I usually choose Mark Twain's seat, but this time I go to the meditation room, commonly known as "The Omnibus" on account of its shape. In the far end of this omnibus, I can sip coffee indefinitely and write and read and enjoy the art of the place—all at one time.

MATILDA BISHOP.



A. E. Martin

## RATHER WEIRD

Not many days ago the writer picked up the evening paper and read the dispatch telling of the sudden death of Milton Silla, the noted movie actor, at his home in California. About ten minutes later, seated in the Rialto theatre, a kind of "creaky" feeling came over him as he saw the advance announcement of a coming show thrown upon the screen showing the lifelike figure of the departed actor, and heard the clear announcement of his voice in the statement "I never let anything get the best of me." Then Saturday night he saw Silla in the show "Man Trouble," and the fact of his departure from this sphere was ever present through the story and it seemed most fitting that this principal character should meet death in the last scene of the play.

## SAW DEAD UNCLE WALKING

The above brings to mind another incident of several years ago when I was working beside a printer who was a native of the island of Malta. His conversation was most interesting both on account of his soft accent and (to me) odd phraseology, and later of his life and customs. He stated that a man is practically ostracized on the island if not married by the time he reaches thirty years of age. This was the reason of his exodus from his native land, and after a short trip through continental Europe he came to New York, and from there direct to Detroit. Here etc., as mixed in Adlerika, helps GAS on stomach in 10 minutes! Most theatre (the previously had had little remedies act on lower bowels only, opportunity to witness this form of but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper enteric) and was interestingly and lower bowels, removing poisonous waste you never knew was there. Relieves constipation in 2 hours. It on end and he trembled in apprehension will surprise you. Mac & Gidley, druggists.

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church of Malta, strode solemnly across the screen at the head of a great religious procession—his sharp glances seemingly focused on his trembling nephew a few rows back in the audience. The uncle had been dead two or three years. When my friend left the place where we were employed we corresponded for a short time but finally lost track of each other. The last I heard of him he was trying to escape from the clutches of a widow at whose home he had roomed while working in the southern part of the state—so it looked as though, in leaving Malta, he had "jumped out of the frying pan into the fire."

## "DON'T TEMPT ME, MADAM"

The Boston Globe is responsible for the story of the scene laid in a Kansas City (Mo.) streetcar during a rush hour. It is too Bostonese to see in the point the first time, a second reading will enlighten you as to the place where the foot belonged.

A package-jaden little man was sitting meekly in a seat and had his foot in the aisle a short distance. A fat-dominating woman boarded the car and strode down the aisle to where the man sat. Then she put her 180 pounds of displacement down squarely on the little man's foot, drawing from him an involuntary exclamation of pain.

Looking down at him, she exclaimed weat impatiently: "Why don't you put that big foot of yours where it belongs?" "Don't tempt me, madam, don't tempt during his inability.

The new M. P. minister is here. He is appreciated very much.

Miss Ethel Taylor who was called home from Big Rapids last week by the death of her uncle, Will Taylor, called on her grandmother, Mrs. E. McCracken, the latter who accidentally fell and broke a rib. Mrs. McCracken is under the doctor's care and improving fine, considering her age.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leggett went to Saginaw last week to see her father who is in a critical condition.

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## FREDERIC NEWS

Mrs. C. S. Barber and Mrs. Ace Long were at Ann Arbor the past week on business. Mr. Cox is helping Mr. Leaman with the janitor work at the school during his inability.